



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 5080
Keiichi IMAMURA et al. : Docket No.2001_0555A
Serial No. 09/830,923 : Group Art Unit 1625
Filed August 9, 2001 : Examiner Binta M. Robinson
PICOLINAMIDE DERIVATIVES AND :
PEST CONTROLLERS CONTAINING THE :
SAME AS THE ACTIVE INGREDIENT :

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of June 17, 2003, the time for responding thereto being extended for 3 months in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: